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SUBJECT: OCEANOGRAPHIC DATA

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1. SCRIPPS OCEANOGRAPHIC DATA ULTIMATELY TURNED OVER TO "OCEANOGRAPHIC DATA CENTER" LOCATED IN COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY OFFICE. ACCORDING TO MARIO MANANSALA OF CGS, DECISION TO SET UP CENTER WAS MADE BY MARINE SCIENCES INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON RECEIPT OF SCRIPPS DATA. MANANSALA HAS ASSURED EMBASSY THAT POSSESSION OF DATA WILL BE MADE KNOWN TO INTERESTED ACADEMIC AGENCIES.

2. COMMENT: MANAGEMENT AND USE OF DATA STILL AT VERY ELEMENTARY STAGES IN PHILIPPINES BUT INTEREST IS GROWING RAPIDLY IN OBTAINING SUCH DATA FROM VISITING RESEARCH VESSELS. CURRENTLY VISITING R/V ALPHA HELIX HAS BEEN MODEL COOPERATOR IN THIS RESPECT. ALTHOUGH GOVERNMENT BUREAUCRACY STILL NOT VERY WELL COORDINATED ON SUBJECT OF OCEANOGRAPHIC RESEARCH, INTERESTS OF ACADEMIA WELL REPRESENTED HERE BY DR. GOMEZ, RECENT DOCTORAL GRADUATE OF SCRIPPS, HEAD OF UP'S NEW SCHOOL OF MARINE SCIENCES, AND (AS BROTHER OF MRS. KOKOY ROMUALDEZ) FAIRLY PROMINENT IN GOVERNMENT CIRCLES IN THIS PARTICULAR FIELD.
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